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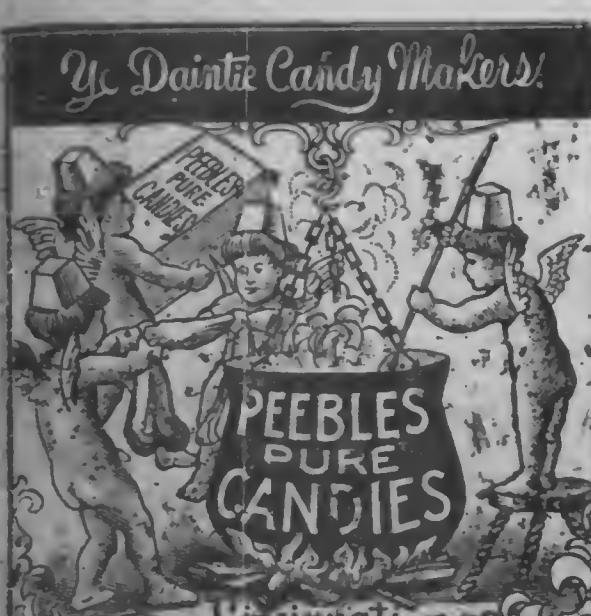
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A new train will leave Paris at 5:40 p. m. and arrive at Frankfort at 7:10 p. m. The morning train arriving at 8:40 a. m., and leaving at 9:30 a. m. will remain as heretofore.

All of these trains will be strictly passenger trains, and hereafter freight trains will not carry passengers.

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To Cincinnati—5:15 a. m.; 7:51 a. m.; 8:40 p. m.

To Lexington—7:47 a. m.; 11:05 a. m.; 5:45 p. m.; 10:14 p. m.

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MORRILL DEAD.

The Senator From Vermont Succumbs to an Attack of Pneumonia.

His Wife's Remains Are Now in a Vault at Rock Creek Cemetery, Near Washington—Probably the Senator's Body Will Also Be Deposited There.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Hon. Justin S. Morrill, the senior United States senator from Vermont, died at 25 minutes past 1 o'clock Wednesday morning in the 89th year of his age, after an illness of less than a week. With him when the end came were his sister-in-law, Miss Louise Swan, his son James, Mr. Benjamin Durfee, for a long time associated with the senator in the finance committee work at the capitol, and Col. S. E. Chamberlain, an intimate friend. Senator Proctor was in the house at the time, as were also several other friends. The senator never recovered from the unconscious state into which he lapsed early in the day and his death was calm and peaceful.

The immediate cause of death was pneumonia which developed from an



SENATOR J. S. MORRILL

attack of grip contracted about a week ago. The venerable senator was confined to his home but seven days.

No definite funeral arrangements have been made. It is altogether likely that public services will be held in the senate chamber, but just when can not now be stated. The remains of Mrs. Morrill, who died during the present year, are now in a vault at Rock Creek cemetery, near this city, and it may be that the senator's body will be deposited there pending removal to Strafford, Vt., where a mausoleum is now in course of construction.

In the death of Hon. Justin Smith Morrill, the senate lost its senior member in point of service and its oldest in age. He had served in the senate continuously for more than 31 years, and he was 88 years old on the 14th of April last. With the single exception of Hon. Galusha Grow, of the house of representatives, he was the only man in congress whose congressional career began prior to the beginning of the civil war, and he had the honor over Mr. Grow in that his congressional service had been continuous, covering in the senate and house combined almost 44 years. Mr. Morrill was a native of Vermont. He was first elected a member of the house from that state as a member of the 34th congress, taking his seat at the first assembling of that body after the 4th of March, 1855. He was re-elected to the 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th and 39th congresses, and was in 1867 elected to the senate to succeed Hon. Luke P. Poland. He held his seat in the senate since that date without interruption, having been elected six terms successively. His present term, to which he was chosen in 1896, would not have expired until 1903.

It was at the beginning of the war that Mr. Morrill's practical business training first brought him forward as a man of national reputation. He was the author of the Morrill tariff act of 1861, which was the basis of all the tariff legislation of war times. In 1861 he became chairman of the committee on ways and means, the principal committee of the house, and at that critical time of especial importance.

After entering the senate Mr. Morrill continued to give his attention largely to financial and commercial questions and during the greater part of his term of service he was identified as a member of the committee on finance, which committee deals especially with these subjects. He first became chairman of this committee in 1877 succeeding Senator Sherman when the latter entered the cabinet of President Hayes and he held this position continually after that date except during the 46th and 48th congresses, when the democratic party controlled the senate, and during those intervals he continued at the head of the republican representation on the committee. In recent years he delegated the greater share of the details of the committee work to the younger members of the committee, but there had been but few times when he was not a regular attendant upon the committee meetings, and many instances are related of his surprising activity in directing the affairs of the committee up to the last.

During his long career Mr. Morrill gave his attention to many questions, and no man in public life was more than he to talking up a subject and holding on to it through years and years until consummated. He was the real father of the scheme for the construction of a building for the congressional library, and to him Senator Voorhees, who yearly joined him in impressing this question upon congress, is the splendid library building a monument. Very near to his heart also was the plan for the erection of a sister building for the supreme court. He had been pressing a measure looking to the construction of such a building for many years and had on three different occasions prevailed upon the senate to pass his bill for this purpose. His last appearance in the senate was on the 19th instant, when he made a speech of half an hour's duration in advocacy of the supreme court building bill. He at the same time prevailed upon the senate to pass the bill in the face of some opposition.

Ex-MAYOR JACOB'S FUNERAL.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 28.—The funeral of Hon. Chas. D. Jacob was held Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock. Thousands of people paid the last tribute to him, and the funeral cortège was one of the largest ever seen in Louisville.

A Goat Farm.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 28.—County Judge Frank Bullock and Col. Willa Viley have leased a large farm near Lexington and will engage in the breeding of goats. Later a cheese factory will be established.

HAVANA IS ALLEXCITEMENT.

Brooke's Order Forbidding the Presence of Cuban Insurgents Evacuation Day the Cause—Cubans Will Not Decorate.

HAVANA, Dec. 29.—Cuban residents of Havana declared Wednesday night that Gen. Brooke does not rescind his order barring representatives of the Cuban insurgent army from being present at the evacuation day ceremonies on New Year's day they will close their houses on that occasion, tear down their flags and decorations and remain indoors.

The Cuban peace commission, after a stormy interview with Gen. Brooke, Wednesday night telegraphed Gen. Gomez not to come to Havana, as he intended, as no courtesy could be shown him.

The Cubans are greatly excited. Wednesday night they stood on every corner of the city discussing the situation in a half frenzied manner. "We have not fought for a change of masters. We have fought for liberty and not for a new ownership," declared Juan Frederico Centelles, one of the most prominent Cubans in Havana.

Our army is still in the field. They shall not lay down their arms until we find out whether we are to be slaves or free."

Two nights ago Gen. Ludlow notified the commission that Gen. Gomez and other prominent Cuban army leaders could be present at the ceremonies and that the Cuban army might enter Havana.

Wednesday night Gen. Brooke told the commission that the Cuban army is not to be recognized and is to have no part in the demonstrations of January 1.

This action at once caused the Cuban's to declare that they would stay in their houses, and the day of rejoicing over the raising of the Stars and Stripes would be turned into a day of gloom and that the city should have the appearance of a town in mourning.

Americans in Havana are much alarmed at the increased mortality in the city. The civil register Wednesday night shows that three persons died of Asiatic cholera and four of malarial fever. Tuesday four deaths were reported of yellow fever and 11 of malarial fever out of a total death roll of 57.

Smallpox is on the increase. Three or four deaths are reported every day. Yellow fever cases are increasing.

Americans expect, by hurried sanitary work to improve conditions rapidly after January 1. The thing that alarms, or at least disgusts, the Americans more than any other disease that flourishes here is leprosy.

Tuesday night was one of alarm. It was feared that Wednesday the riots would assume a graver aspect. The insurgents who have not been permitted in the city since the affair at the Hotel Inglaterra, were allowed to come in and act as police.

The effect of their presence in Maria, Monserrate, San Juan de Dios and other districts where rioting has occurred was magical. The insurgents would ride into a half frenzied crowd of paraders and, after leading the shouting for a few moments, would disperse the crowd. The insurgents' word is law with the simple people of the lower districts of the city and they were implicitly obeyed.

Only a few riots occurred Wednesday afternoon. Several people were wounded and one man will die from wounds received.

The city was quiet Wednesday night. Four companies of the 10th United States infantry kept guard.

Reina, a formidable battery opposite Morro and Regla, was Wednesday occupied by United States troops. Cabanas is also occupied with a detail of our troops.

THE GOVERNMENT OF GUAM.

It Will Differ From Other Colonial Possessions in Having a Naval Instead of a Military Governor.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The island of Guam will probably be different from the other colonial possessions or dependencies of the United States in having a naval instead of a military governor. The reason is that the sole reason for the selection and acquirement of the island was to obtain a conveniently located naval station for our war ships, and that being the case, the navy should have exclusive control. The command will be of importance, for the island has a population of more than 8,000 people, and so far from these being barbarians about 1,400 of them are of European extraction.

Both Wounded in a Duel.

BUDA PEST, Dec. 29.—A third duel was fought between M. Kubik, a son-in-law of M. Horanzki, and M. Kenedi, a journalist. Swords were the weapons and both men were wounded.

Judge Goff Not a Candidate for Senator.

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THE TWO FLAGS.

Stars and Stripes and Stars and Bars Float Over Many Havana Buildings.

Maj. Gen. Brooke, Military Governor of Cuba, Arrived in Havana Tuesday—Martial Change wrought by Order of Capt. Gen. Castellanos.

HAVANA, Dec. 28.—The citizens of Havana read in their morning papers an order from Capt. Gen. Castellanos permitting the display of Cuban and American flags inside the lines of Spanish jurisdiction, and early Tuesday morning the Stars and Stripes and the Lone Star of Cuba floated over many buildings in the heart of the city and in streets where the Spanish soldiers still keep guard. The only buildings excepted in the order are the government offices. Havana, therefore, is now bright with color and fire-crackers are being exploded in the streets and on the plazas. Fear of the Spaniards disappeared with the appearance of this order for out came thousands of flags secretly made by the women of the households or clandestinely purchased from adventurous peddlars. Robert A. Scott, formerly city treasurer of Jacksonville, Fla., succeeded in getting a small cargo of flags into Havana some weeks ago and flags originally costing about 4 cents have been selling for about a dollar each.

The order of Capt. Gen. Castellanos was issued after a conference with Gen. Ludlow, and it will be followed Tuesday night by an order closing the cafes at 10 p. m.

Gen. Ludlow rode around the city late Monday night, watching the temper of the people in the streets. Fourteen persons were wounded by people who fired different kinds of weapons in the streets.

Gen. John H. Brooke, military governor of Cuba, arrived here from the United States Tuesday.

The city jail was delivered into the hands of the Americans on Saturday. One political prisoner was found there, Col. Bacallao, who was captured with Gen. Ruiz Rivera, and who was pardoned for political offences but sentenced to death on the charge of murder.

The United States transport *Nomadic*, having on board two battalions of the 1st Texas and the 2d Louisiana, has arrived here from Savannah, Ga., which port she left on December 15.

HAVANA, Dec. 28.—The Spanish troops Tuesday still further contracted their lines and withdrew to the extremity of the peninsula on which the city of Havana is built. They now occupy scarcely two square miles. The United States troops have moved from the suburbs into the city proper and Tuesday night were patrolling Central park and the prado.

MISS MERCEDES GARCIA DIES

Daughter of the Cuban General Succumbs to Consumption—Body Will Be Taken to Cuba With Her Fathers.

THOMASVILLE, Ga., Dec. 28.—Miss Mercedes Garcia, daughter of the late Calixto Garcia, the Cuban leader, died at the Pineywoods hotel in this city Tuesday evening of consumption. Mrs. Garcia and her two daughters arrived here the day Gen. Garcia died in Washington and while at dinner received intelligence of the death of the head of the family. The contents of the telegram were never revealed to Mercedes, who was at that time failing rapidly. All the members of the Garcia family at present in this country were at the bedside of Miss Mercedes when the end came.

The body will be embalmed and taken to Cuba on the warship which the United States has designated to convey the remains of Gen. Garcia back to his native country.

DEATH OF ENSIGN FORMIER.

Paralysis Carries Off One of the Heroes of Manilla—He Was a Native of Indiana—He Died on the Petrel.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 28.—The steamer China brought word from Shanghai on the arrival there on the 12th of last month of the gunboat Petrel. There was a sad incident in connection with the cruise of the Petrel. Ensign Geo. L. Formier, who fought bravely at Manilla, died on board the vessel. Deceased had suffered with stomach troubles and the disease finally developed paralysis.

Ensign Formier was born in Indiana and was 29 years of age. He graduated from Annapolis in 1889. He fought at Cavite and was mentioned in the dispatches for gallantry. The alumnini of his college have subscribed for a sword of honor which was to have been presented to him for his behavior during the late war.

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TROOPS ARRIVE TOO LATE.

Spaniards at Iloilo Surrender to Insurgents Before Arrival of Americans—The Flag Hoisted Over the City.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—There is a good deal of anxiety in official circles here over recent events at Iloilo. Two official dispatches have been received by the state and war departments, but it is impossible to gather from them an accurate knowledge as to the condition there. It is not even possible to learn whether the insurgents or the American forces have taken the place. Wednesday morning United States Consul Pratt, at Singapore, cabled the state department: "Iloilo taken 24th. Spanish fled to Borneo." This threw the officials into deeper doubt than before. The American expedition which left Manila to go to Iloilo, 2,000 troops and the war ships Baltimore and Callao, would scarcely have had time, it is said, to have reached Iloilo by the 24th. So the inference is that the insurgents are in possession. Color is lent to this belief by the fact reported in one telegram that the Spaniards had retreated to a strongly fortified town on the island of Mindanao. This does not agree with Consul Spratt's statement that they fled to Borneo, the north coast of which is a British possession, but it is believed that the consul is in error on this point.

Just before noon another dispatch came from Gen. Otis that at once con-

NEW YEAR'S DAY IN HAVANA.

The Cubans Will be Permitted to Celebrate, But American Soldiers Will Be on Duty to Preserve Order.

HAVANA, Dec. 29.—It is expected that the Cubans will make January 1 a day of great celebration, and no attempt will be made to check them unless they grow riotous. But enough troops will be in the city, ostensibly on display, to take control and clear the streets. On the further recommendation of McCullough all the cafes and other places where liquor is sold will be closed all day January 1. All citizens will be subject to search, and those found with arms upon them will be imprisoned and the arms confiscated.

The swearing in of men who will form the police force continues about 400 having already sworn allegiance to the United States. The force will be ready for complete service about January 15. The Cubans will object to the enlistment of Spanish soldiers in this force, but McCullough and Col. Moulton have resolved to ask no questions concerning a man's former allegiance. If his record is clean and he comes up to the mental and physical requirements he will be given the same show, be he Spaniard or Cuban.

At first the Cubans were inclined to hang back, saying that if Spaniards were to be employed the entire force should be made up of them, but when they saw that they would be taken at their word they made a rush to secure a chance of earning \$50 a month. About 300 from Menocal's camp at Marianao have already sought employment.

Havana tailors are now at work upon the uniform, which is to be of blue cassimere of the thinnest texture. It consists of trousers, coat and rolling sailor shirt. The police will carry clubs of the same pattern as that used by New York policemen and the force will be organized on the same general plan as that of the American city.

MURDERED A WHOLE FAMILY

James C. Dunham, Wanted in Santa Clara County, Cal., Believed to Be in St. Louis—Large Reward Offered.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 29.—The police of St. Louis are searching for James C. Dunham, who is wanted in Santa Clara county, California, for murdering an entire family of six persons. There is a reward of \$11,000 for his arrest.

A letter to Chief of Detectives Desmond from J. H. Lyndon, the sheriff of Santa Clara county, says that Dunham has been traced to the Missouri river, and the sheriff further states that he is believed to be in St. Louis.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Dec. 29.—The police of this city place little credence in the report that James C. Dunham, the murderer, is arrested in Columbus. It is believed by many residents of this place that Dunham killed himself on the night of his atrocious crime in May, 1896.

MANILA, Dec. 27.

"Adjutant General, Washington: Sent Col. Potter on fast vessel to Iloilo on 24th to communicate with Spanish Gen. Rios; latter evacuated evening of 24th and Potter 39 hours later: insurgents took possession of city on 26th, and Potter found Aguinaldo's flag flying. Can not now report probable results; will not hear from there for four days, as no cable communications. Spanish forces have evacuated all stations in southern islands, except Zamboanga, by orders, as they say, from Madrid."

The evacuation by the Spaniards of all the Philippine ports, as reported by Gen. Otis, although doubtless inspired by a desire to secure their safety by concentration, undoubtedly has done much to complicate the problem already presented the war department of extending the military jurisdiction of the United States over the islands.

It will now be necessary to expedite the execution of the original plans, and it may be fully expected that within a week important events will have happened in the Philippines. It is presumed that Gen. Otis will demand the surrender of Iloilo into his hands, and this demand may at once raise the issue between the insurgents and our government of possession of the islands.

During the fire several persons were injured. Fireman Robert Green was overcome by the smoke and heat and is in a serious condition. Fireman Webb and Policeman Oswald were also badly injured. The insurance will cover about one-half the loss.

Will Be Moved to Huntsville.

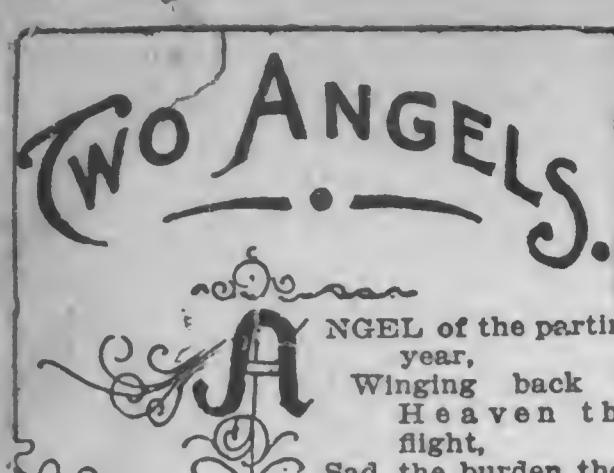
WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Fire which broke out here shortly after midnight caused a loss of over \$100,000. The blaze originated in Parthes' shoe store. A fierce gale was blowing and fanned the flames.

The Atwell block, occupied by the Cassidy Drug & Chemical Co., caught fire and the exploding drugs and chemicals threw burning fluids in all directions.

During the fire several persons were injured. Fireman Robert Green was overcome by the smoke and heat and is in a serious condition. Fireman Webb and Policeman Oswald were also badly injured. The insurance will cover about one-half the loss.

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ANNISTON, Ala., Dec. 29.—The 4th army corps' headquarters, which has been in Huntsville, will be removed to this city, and Gen. Royal T. Frank will command the entire corps, succeeding Gen. Lawton, who has been ordered to report to Gen



ANGEL of the parting
year,
Winging back to
Heaven thy
flight,
Sad the burden thou
must bear

From the darkness into light;
Burden of my wasted days,
Fragments of my broken hours,
Budding promises that grew
Never into fruit or flowers.

Happiness I might have won,
Worthy deeds I might have wrought,
Wrongs I hated, but did not shun,
Good I crave, but never sought;
All my proud and lofty aims,
Withered now to vain regret—
Feeble, foolish as the will—
To no noble purpose set.

Take them all, my griefs, my joys,
Lay them at the Father's feet;
He will search if yet there be
Mid the chaff some grains of wheat,
He will fan my faint resolves
To a purer flame and clear,
Bear to Heaven my heart's desire,
Angel of the parting year.

And angel of the coming year,
Though thy face is veiled, I see
By the glory round thee shed,
Thou hast some good gift for me.
It is gold, power, or fame?
Perfect peace from toll or care?
Or some sweet, greater bliss
I had never hoped to share?

Nay, I know 'tis none of these;
Still I walk my narrow ways;
Still does lowly labor fill
All the measures of my days:
This the treasure thou hast brought,
Prized in every age and clime,
Life no greater boon can crave—
God's most precious gift of Time.

Time to shape my common cares
In duties high and low;
Time to learn the patience smooths
All rough ways for tired feet;
Time to scatter here and there
By the wayside, love's small seed,
Knowing lowliest hands may oft
Minister to highest need.

So may each day be a cup
With life's sweet flavors fraught;
Every hour a shining pearl
Strung on golden threads of thought;
Evening wears a bright fire,
Shedding perfume far and near.
Lend thy grace to make it so,
Angel of the coming year!

Susan Marr Spalding, in N. Y. Weekly.

HIS HAPPY NEW YEAR.

RDINARILY the fall term of school in the Brown district would have closed before the holidays, but this year there had been an invasion of measles right in the middle of the term, necessitating a vacation of two weeks, and Director Hathaway had insisted that the teacher make up the lost time, much to the disgust of the younger children, who had thus been deprived of their holiday freedom.

But the teacher had not been in the least incommoded by this prolongation of the term. Herbert Allen had enjoyed his first term in a country school. For some reason, which he had never stopped to analyze, there had been a peculiar fascination about his work, although it had been in a sphere of life and amidst environments so different from what he had dreamed of a year before. And yet he had unwittingly incurred the displeasure of the school board and had been recently informed that his services would not be needed longer.

And now, on the last afternoon of December, the term was over. The school had closed with "exercises" and the whole community had turned out to hear them. The boys had stammered through their "pieces," the big girls had read their "essays," and the little ones had gone through their songs and "motion exercises" to their own great satisfaction and the infinite delight of their admiring parents. Director Hathaway and Elder Sloane, at the teacher's invitation, had talked edifyingly on the "advantages of an education" and the "proper training of the young," and the teacher had spoken a few words of modest farewell.

At last all was over, the last scholar had said good-by to the teacher and gone. The young master seated himself at his table and sighed deeply as he looked around the now quiet room, especially as his eyes rested upon the seat of Helen Hathaway, the charming young daughter of the director.

The schoolhouse, on whose interior he was so disconsolately gazing as the setting sun shone through its windows and lighted up the familiar objects—the charts and pictures on the walls, the neatly executed maps and drawings, the specimens of "busy work" done by the children, the mottoes and diagrams and quotations on the blackboards—had been indeed a pleasant place to Herbert, save for the one disturbing incident. Many a cheerful modern schoolroom can be found in the country districts of the middle western states, and it is easy to see how an enthusiastic, refined young man like Herbert Allen could become attached to such a pleasant, intellectual workshop.

It would have been even easier to understand his fondness for the spot if one could have seen the sweet face of Helen Hathaway and noted the deep interest which she evinced in her algebra and history and the readiness which the young teacher displayed to help her in her pursuit of knowledge. It would have amused a disinterested observer to see the earnest devotion with which the pedagogue and his most advanced scholar delved into the mysteries of quadratic equations and how willing

the young man appeared to "show" his interested and interesting pupil. Such amiability, however, was not at all pleasing to John Warren, another of the oldest, though by no means brightest, scholars in school. Before the advent of the new teacher, John had been the recipient of an occasional smile from the director's daughter, but of late the young lady had apparently forgotten the young man in her deep absorption in algebra and history.

It was this unfortunate condition, speaking from John Warren's standpoint, that had led to Mr. Allen's discomfiture. Squire Warren was a neighbor of Director Hathaway and the two farmers were firm friends. So when the squire's son began to make disparaging remarks about the teacher, and the father, whose faith in his only son was unbounded, had become prejudiced against the young man, he mentioned the matter to the director and easily persuaded that worthy official, whose acquaintance with the teacher had extended little farther than had been incidental to the duty of making a contract with him, that "young Allen" was not a fit person to conduct our school. He is too familiar with the scholars and hasn't enough dignity to fill such a responsible position."

Director Hathaway was a man of promptness and decision, whose will was law with the board, so when he called his colleagues together and delivered the opinion that the teacher was too young and inexperienced to conduct the winter term, the assessor and the moderator meekly acquiesced, though they both felt in their hearts that the young man had performed his duties well.

So it came about during the last week of the term that Mr. Allen had been given formal notice that his services would not be needed any longer. He had been greatly surprised and mortified at this announcement, and his pupils had shown their disapproval of the board's arbitrary action in a way that threatened open revolt—all but John Warren, who could hardly repress his exultation at the turn affairs had taken. One year before this incident Herbert Allen had been the favored son of a rich merchant in an eastern city. His mother had long been in the grave and Herbert had spent most of his boyhood days in a famous preparatory school. Just as he was ready to enter college, financial disaster came upon his father, resulting in his ruin and subsequent death. This sudden blow of fate left Herbert dependent upon his own resources. Young and resolute in char-

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"Good evening," replied the director, in a somewhat embarrassed tone. "We hardly expected to find you here so late. But we've just had a board meeting down to my house and was on our way to your boarding place. Seein' the door ajar, we thought maybe as you was still in the schoolhouse, and so we stopped in. As I was a sayin', Mr. Teacher, we've just had a board meetin', and we have come to the unanimous conclusion to reconsider our former action and ask ye to stay the winter term. As I've been sayin' to Mr. Stevens and Mr. Simmons, perhaps we was a little hasty in our course. The teacher has taught us a good school, there ain't no gittin' around it, and I guess we've been a little prejudiced. I know my teacher never took so much interest in her studies before. Then another thing that has convinced us that we ought to reconsider our action was the solemn way in which the scholars felt 'bout your leavin'. There's my daughter, for instance, she has been moping around



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acter, he made his way to the west and finally found the congenial work in the country school which he had pursued so happily until a cruel fate had again thrown him upon a selfish world without the means of employment.

Finally the young ex-teacher, as he now felt himself to be, was aroused from his reverie by a rap at the door, and before he could collect his wandering thoughts a curly-haired lad, breathless from running, stumbled into the room with a letter in his hand.

"Say, teacher," said the boy, "I was down to the 'corners' to get Dad's mail and Mr. Jones wanted me to fetch this letter for you. He said it had been in the office 'most two weeks."

"Thank you, Charlie; my correspondence is so limited I had forgotten there was such a thing as a post office," and he took the business-like envelope in his hand and wonderingly tore it open. It read as follows:

New York, Oct. 3, 1895.—Office of J. W. Penniman, Attorney and Counselor at Law, Mr. H. W. Allen, Oakville Corners, Mich. My Dear Sir: For the past two months I have been looking for your address and have just this day learned it. I now hasten to inform you of a very agreeable turn in your affairs. When your late lamented father became involved in financial difficulties one of the largest and most valuable of his steamships, the *Dolphin*, bound for the East Indies, was reported lost in a tropical hurricane. Without attempting to inform you of details which I can better explain in person, I will simply say that the supposed loss, followed by inability to obtain insurance, caused me at a critical time and brought on the *Dolphin*. It is now transpires that the report was incorrect. On the 5th of July, only three weeks after your father's death, the *Dolphin* arrived in this port with an exceedingly valuable cargo. By this unexpected stroke of fortune you are again a rich man.

I have very gladly taken charge of your business interests, believing, sir, that you would wish me to do so, and shall take the liberty to act in this capacity until I hear from you.

No doubt you will at once communicate with me, but thinking it might be an accomodation to have a little ready cash, I inclose draft on New York for \$1,000 subject to your order. Awaiting your further instructions, I am your obedient servant, JOHN W. PENNIMAN.

Herbert read the welcome news in a dazed sort of way. He reread it more carefully, and as its full import dawned upon him exultation took the place of despondency in his breast. He picked up the draft with a feeling of elation. "This is indeed a New Year's gift! This little piece of paper was worth ten times as much as I have earned this whole term. No more need to worry for the future! The news is too good to be true. Now I can bid defiance to that august body, the school board of the Brown district!"

Just then his eye happened to rest upon some very neat algebraic characters on the blackboard which he had purposely directed "not to be erased" in order to attract the wondering attention of his visitors that afternoon. An instant change came over his spirits. "Still I would have enjoyed another term in this district. It is a shame that one's efforts are so little appreciated!"

The gathering dusk of a winter's day admonished him not to linger further, and he began to gather up his books with a constantly sinking heart. He had nearly completed his task when heavy footsteps and deep-toned voices in the hallway attracted his attention and in walked Director Hathaway, Moderator Stevens and Assessor Simons.

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SIMILAR TO BOTKIN CASE.

Poison Sent as a Christmas Gift to Athlete Harry Cornish, of New York—it Killed a Woman.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—After a draft of what was supposed to be a harmless remedy for headache, Mrs. Kate D. Adams died Wednesday half an hour later in violent agony at her home, No. 61 West Eighty-sixth street.

Henry Cornish, a member of the Knickerbocker Athletic club, who lived in Mrs. Adams' house, also took some of the drug and was rendered violently ill.

The medicine came on Christmas day in a small silver stand, bearing a bromo seltzer label and was addressed in a large masculine hand; "Mr. Henry Cornish, Knickerbocker athletic club, Madison avenue and Forty-fifth street, New York."

Immediately after taking a dose from the phial Mrs. Adams was convulsed in agony.

Dr. E. F. Hitchcock, of 72 West Eighty-seventh street, was hastily summoned, and when he arrived he saw at once that Mrs. Adams was beyond medical aid. He essayed to revive her by the Silvester artificial respiration process, but failed.

The coroner is making a thorough investigation, as is also the district attorney, who has taken the case in hand. The latter was seen at a late hour Wednesday night, and stated that he had had an interview with Cornish, but preferred to remain quiet on the matter. Asked why, he replied: "Something he told me leads to the belief that we can locate the guilty parties, but if made public would defeat the ends of justice."

HARTFORD, Ct., Dec. 29.—The wife of Harry Cornish before her marriage was Miss Addie Burden. She came here from Worcester, Mass., and was employed here as a clerk in a store. She separated from Cornish five years ago and afterward obtained a divorce. She has lived for a year and a half on Huntington avenue, Boston.

FOUR CARS LEAVE THE TRACK

They Took Fire and Were Consumed—Twelve People Were Seriously Injured—A Corpse Cremated.

TRINIDAD, Col., Dec. 29.—The east-bound California limited train No. 4, on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, was wrecked 11 miles east of this city at 7 o'clock Wednesday morning.

The accident happened on a curve, and it is supposed to have been caused by the spreading of the rails. The engine, one Pullman and the dining car passed over all right. The observation car, two drawing room sleepers and composite car left the track. The wreck immediately caught fire from an explosion of the gas in the composite car and the entire four cars were burned up.

Those in the composite car are reported badly injured. No one was killed but 12 were seriously injured. A corps which was en route for Philadelphia was cremated.

THAT PENITENTIARY TUNNEL

All Survivors of Gen. Morgan's Raiders Invited to Columbus to Inspect the Discovered Hole in Ground.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 29.—All the survivors of Gen. Morgan's party who escaped from the Ohio penitentiary during the war have been invited here to inspect the recently discovered tunnel through which it is claimed the raiders escaped, and settle for all time the dispute as to whether Morgan and his men escaped through the tunnel or by the connivance of the officials of the penitentiary. A carload of dirt taken from the tunnel made under the walls has been found in the air duct under the cells which Morgan's men occupied. After the men made their escape the hole was filled up with loose dirt, and the clay around this shows the exact dimensions of the tunnel.

TERIBLE TRAGEDY IN IOWA.

A Lover Shoots and Kills His Sweetheart, a School Teacher, and Afterwards Commits Suicide.

CLARE, Ia., Dec. 29.—Wednesday afternoon a young man came to Clare on the northbound Rock Island passenger train, hired a horse and drove out to the school house where Miss May Thomas teaches. He entered the building and they conversed for some time, finally walking out together. After going down the road a short distance the man drew a revolver and shot her, killing her almost instantly. He then shot himself and died a few hours later. The young man was not known at Clare, but it was learned that his name is Harry Garvey. He had been keeping company with Miss Thomas, who refused his further attentions.

Death of Lafayette's Grandson.

PARIS, Dec. 29.—M. Claude Francois Philibert Tirour de Corcelles, former secretary of the French legation in Washington and a grandson of Lafayette, died Wednesday in his 97th year. He was born at Mareilly d'Auzergue (Rhône), June 27, 1802.

Critic King Falls.

MILAN, Mo., Dec. 29.—Walter M. Clark, Sullivan county's cattle king, has failed for nearly \$200,000. Clark has turned over every dollar's worth of his property to his creditors.

FIRE ON AMERICAN TROOPS.

Detail of the Tenth Regulars in Quelling a Riot Returned the Fire—Cubans and Spaniards Killed and Wounded.

HAVANA, Dec. 28.—The American troops were fired on in Havana Tuesday night.

The whole city is in an uproar and serious rioting is threatened.

A detail of Company M, 10th regular United States infantry, while quelling a riot which broke out on Bombay street at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening, was fired on.

The regulars returned the fire, and sent volley after volley into the crowd of rioters as they fled out of the street. Two Spanish sailors were wounded and a Spanish marine was killed by the Americans. A number of other persons whose names could not be secured were also wounded in the melee which caused the interference of the American troops. Three Cubans were fatally injured. Several Spaniards who were carried away by friends were wounded, but it is not known how seriously.

None of the American soldiers were wounded.

In the small riots that occurred in various parts of the city Tuesday 12 persons were wounded, several fatally.

A Spanish soldier, marching with his company to the wharf, attempted to pull down a Cuban flag and an American flag waving over the door at 108 San Lazaro street. This started the fight. The Spaniards were fired upon from the houses and windows. They returned the fire, riddling the front of the buildings with bullets. The soldier who attempted to take down the flags fell on the steps of a house bleeding from wounds in the head and shoulder. The Spanish soldiers withdrew, carrying their injured comrades.

Residents of San Lazaro say the withdrawal of the Spaniards was due to the appearance of an American officer, who persuaded the Spaniards to retire. The town Tuesday night was practically in the hands of the Americans. The Spaniards Tuesday night are supposed to still hold possession of the strip of ground between the prado and the port, but their soldiers have been withdrawn to within a few blocks of the port.

Three companies of the 10th regular infantry, who were hurried into town Tuesday afternoon, were on guard in the streets Tuesday night. It is expected that the entire 10th regiment will have to be brought in, together with the 8th United States, which has been encamped at the trocha only two miles away, in anticipation of such an emergency as exists.

A NEW BUILDING COLLAPSES

Two Workmen Buried Under the Debris and Are Believed to Be Dead—Two or Three Others Hurt, Not Seriously.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 28.—A new two-story building in course of erection for the Heydt Bakery Co. at 1613-1617 Bidle street, collapsed shortly after 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon burying two workmen, who are undoubtedly dead. Luke Tully is the name of one of the workmen, but the identity of the other is not known. Two or three workmen were hurt, but not seriously injured. David Billings, of Cincinnati, has charge of the erection of the building.

NOW SENIOR NAVAL OFFICER

Adm. Dewey Gains That Post by the Retirement of Adm. Bunc, Without Congressional Action.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Adm. Dewey is now the senior officer of the American navy, having reached that position without congressional action through the retirement Sunday last of Adm. Bunc. He will continue to hold that distinction until the 26th of December, next year, when he will go upon the retired list, unless congress excepts him from the operation of the law, and, after making him admiral of the navy, provides that he may hold that office in active service without age limitation.

Insurance Men's Offer.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Dec. 28.—The Individual Underwriters' Insurance association, of New York, which carried \$250,000 insurance on Havens & Geddis' wholesale and retail stock and on the stock of the Terre Haute Shot Co., Tuesday offered by telegram a partial payment on the \$50,000 on the loss prior to the adjustment, which will not be completed for a week or so yet. It was accepted.

Civil War in Bolivia.

LIMA, Peru, Dec. 28, via Galveston, Tex.—Advices from Bolivia say that the aspect of affairs there is serious. Young men belonging to the best society are joining either side. The banks have lost nearly all their clerks and civil war is inevitable.

Three great thread manufacturing companies, which practically control the business of the country, are about to combine. These concerns are George A. Clark & Bro., Newark, N.

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Eminent Kentuckians to Banquet
At St. Louis.

GOVERNOR BRADLEY has received an invitation to be guest of honor at the reception and banquet of the Kentucky Society of St. Louis on January 3. He will probably accept the invitation, and will meet ex-Governors Francis, Stone & Crittenden, of Missouri, who are all natives of Kentucky.

THE peace treaty, with the report of the commissioners and a message from the President will be sent to the Senate January 4. In his message the President will ask that he be immediately authorized to pay to Spain the \$20,000,000 contemplated by the treaty. This will require action by the House as well as the Senate.

THE result of the Democratic legislative primary in Franklin county Wednesday was a decided victory for the present Representative, Hon. South Trimble. His majority over his opponent, Capt. W. E. Thompson, will probably reach 750.

WILLIAM J. BRYAN will speak at the Duckworth Club's Jackson Day banquet at Cincinnati, January 6.

ADMIRAL SAMPSON has the grippe at Washington. Dewey has the grip at Manila, but he's glad of it.

SOME enterprising newspaper should get the views of Hobson's fiancee on promiscuous osculation.

THE kissing experience of the naval heroes would fit them for the command of a smack.

PEACE has not been declared in the War Investigation business.

SCINTILLATIONS.

An Interesting Jumble Of News And Comment.

A Cincinnati girl was poisoned Wednesday from eating bitter almonds.

W. E. Moore got nineteen years for working the badger game in New York.

S. A. Ratcliffe, of Georgetown, won a horse for a nickel in a raffle last week.

The author of the "Old Sleuth" detective stories is dead. He left a fortune of \$500,000 made from his stories.

Watch the little ones. Near Vancburg, Tuesday, a three-year-old child was burned to death by its clothes catching fire.

C. L. Thoburn, of Xenia, Ohio, bowled nineteen games over 200 in November, and forty-two over 200 in December, and scored 300 Tuesday.

The Boyle county court has bought the Stanford turnpike at \$700 a mile, making all the roads in the county free. Turnpike bonds to the amount of \$46,000 will be sold at auction the 14th of January. The bonds are to bear 4 per cent. and to mature in fifteen years payable \$3,000 per year after 1901.

It is claimed that last Sunday was the first day in the history of Lexington that a thirsty man could not get a drink there. Every saloon in the city was closed by mutual agreement of proprietors. This action was brought by the fact that the recent grand jury indicted all saloon-keepers for violating the Sunday law.

The Citizens' Committee, which has in charge the welfare of the Louisville Legion, has requested Secretary Alger to send to Louisville an old Puerto Rican cannon to serve as an ornament in one of the Parks and as a permanent memorial of the Legion's home-coming. An effort is also under way to have Colonel John B. Castleman made a Brigadier-General, and a special committee was appointed to look after this.

Tornadoes And Cyclones.

LOOKOUT, these windstorms will sweep your farm property off the face of the earth, and you will lose it all unless you have a policy in the old and tried Glen Falls of New York—\$1,000 insurance for five years will only cost you \$10. Tobacco barns a specialty. (Nov-tf) T. PORTER SMITH, Agent.

Editorial Correspondence.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26th, 1898.

A flood of sunshine which warmed the bracing air made ideal weather for Christmas day in New York. In the window of every well-to-do person's home hung a wreath of holly in honor of the Yuletide. All day long a stream of elegant private carriages and horseless carriages passed up Fifth avenue to Central Park and to Riverside Park and the Speedway, and Christmas trees, bounteous feasts and matinees were other Christmas diversions for the prosperous. Though thousands of poor people would not have known it was Christmas but for the calendars and soap windows, the poor were not forgotten by many philanthropic persons. Howard Gould and his actress bride, Katherine Clemons Gould, made a thousand poor children glad with a Christmas tree, and Miss Helen Gould gave a dinner to eight hundred. Other persons not so well known made hundreds happy and the Salvation Army had about 10,000 at dinner. A study of the wonderful paintings, rare statuary, tapestries, etc., the Egyptian mummies at the Metropolitan Museum in Central Park, a big dinner, a call on former Paris friends, and a Christmas service at the Marble Collegiate Church on Fifth avenue, made the day pass pleasantly to me.

On the warships at the navy yard the sailors were given leave to do anything they liked except blowing up the ship. With a party of friends I visited the navy yard Tuesday and saw the torpedo boats Porter, Foote, Rogers, Winslow and McKee—all in a dry dock for repairs. After a close inspection of the huge guns of the battleship Indiana, the cruiser New Orleans—which was called the Amazon when Uncle Sam bought it this year from Brazil—was the most interesting object in the yards. The cruisers Newark and Chicago are also lying in the yards, the Chicago having been there for three years. The cruisers New York and Brooklyn are anchored off Thompsonville, Admiral Sampson being on board the New York. Speaking of Sampson reminds me that I saw Gen. Shafter in a box at Koster & Bial's music hall Saturday night, with his wife, a Japanese maid, and two gentlemen. The General seemed to enjoy the foreign vaudeville, to whom a verse about himself in "A Hot Time, etc.," was sung. Shafter threw a kiss to the singer, and then the party drank a cold bottle. From seeing the General walk to his hotel I judged that he was democratic, and after observing his rotundity I inferred that he was in favor of expansion.

The actor's Christmas is a very busy one for it means extra performances. Despite this however, Christmas trees and suppers behind the scenes between performances make it a merry one. To show what New York likes in a theatrical way, I note that "The Christian" will reach its one hundredth performance Saturday, paying \$150,000 to the credit of its author, Hall Caine. Ada Rehan's run in "The Merchant of Venice" will reach its fiftieth performance Saturday, and a sensational play, "The Turtle," will reach its 150th performance next week, and is still playing to packed houses. May Irwin has packed the Bijou for six weeks and will remain for thirteen weeks more. At the Fifth Avenue preparations are being made for the 150th performance of "A Runaway Girl," when souvenirs will be given. The return of Jean de Reszke to the Metropolitan gives fresh impetus to the grand opera season, though the previous attendance has been very large. De Reszke, who is considered the greatest living tenor, made a tremendous hit in his reappearance in "Romeo and Juliet." The new dramatic productions last week were Anthony Hope's "Phroso," and Marie Corelli's "Sorrows of Satan," neither play making a hit.

The Eagle King of All Birds, is noted for its keen sight, clear and distinct vision. So are those persons who use Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve for weak eyes, stylos, sore eyes of any kind speedily and effectually cured by the use of Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve. It's put up in tubes, and sold on a guarantee by all dealers at 25 cents.

Weak Eyes are Made Strong, dim vision made clear, stylos removed and granulated lids or sore eyes of any kind speedily and effectually cured by the use of Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve. It's put up in tubes, and sold on a guarantee by all good druggists.

CRYSTALLIZED fruits, nuts, oranges, lemons, bananas, apples, malaga grapes, grape fruit.

How about one of those couches at J. T. Hinton's for your wife? (tf)

Low prices on candies for entertainments. Cheap but pure.

(tf) **Newton Mitchell**

Fleischmann's the passe-by—it takes money to inhale—may see pickaninnies fishing among immense American beauties, the rarest orchid, and a wilderness of violets. Another store up town makes one think of a peepinto fairytale. Flowers are high in Gotham this week, American beauties selling at \$2 each, and handsome orchids fetching \$3 each. The violet is New York's favorite flower year in and year out.

Just a paragraph for the Kentucky ladies and I will have finished my correspondence from Gotham. In a score of public places I have seen many society ladies, but I am fully convinced that, though their raiment may be more costly and made in newer style, they do not compare with their Kentucky sisters in beauty, in natural grace and in other traits. Another notable thing is that handsome matrons outnumber the pretty girls about three to one. The New York girls may have the cash but they are not the only buds in the conservatory.

W. C. **Newton Mitchell**

A GREAT variety of handsome mufflers are displayed by J. W. Davis & Co. (tf)

We sell a pure silk handkerchief, plain bordered or initial, for 25 cents.

(tf) **J. W. Davis & Co.**

MAYBE your wife wants a folding bed for Christmas. J. T. Hinton has them.

FANCY California evaporated fruits.

(tf) **Newton Mitchell**

THE clearance sale now in progress at the New Louisville Store, is offering special holiday discounts on suits and overcoats; any calico in their stock at 33c; new line of flannelettes at 6c, regular 8-13c quality. (13dec-38)

Just arrived a new supply of neckwear, handkerchiefs, suspenders, umbrellas, etc., at Price & Co.'s, the reliable clothiers.

FRESH salt-rising bread received daily

F. B. McDermott.

CHILDREN'S toy sweepers at J. T. Hinton's. (tf)

Lung Irritation

is the forerunner to consumption. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will cure it, and give such strength to the lungs that a cough or a cold will not settle there. Twenty-five cents at all good druggists.

You are looking for something new for a Christmas present for gentleman or lady which you will find at Price & Co.'s—the new style muffler.

The actor's Christmas is a very busy one for it means extra performances. Despite this however, Christmas trees and suppers behind the scenes between performances make it a merry one. To show what New York likes in a theatrical way, I note that "The Christian" will reach its one hundredth performance Saturday, paying \$150,000 to the credit of its author, Hall Caine. Ada Rehan's run in "The Merchant of Venice" will reach its fiftieth performance Saturday, and a sensational play, "The Turtle," will reach its 150th performance next week, and is still playing to packed houses. May Irwin has packed the Bijou for six weeks and will remain for thirteen weeks more. At the Fifth Avenue preparations are being made for the 150th performance of "A Runaway Girl," when souvenirs will be given. The return of Jean de Reszke to the Metropolitan gives fresh impetus to the grand opera season, though the previous attendance has been very large. De Reszke, who is considered the greatest living tenor, made a tremendous hit in his reappearance in "Romeo and Juliet." The new dramatic productions last week were Anthony Hope's "Phroso," and Marie Corelli's "Sorrows of Satan," neither play making a hit.

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(tf) **Newton Mitchell**

First Weddings In Kentucky.

THE first marriage in Kentucky, then called Kentucky county, was at Boonesborough, August 7th, 1770, the contracting parties being Samuel Henderson and Elizabeth Calloway, says the Jessamine Journal. The second was at Harrodsburg, April 19th, 1777, the groom being James Berry and the bride Mrs. Wilson, widow of Hugh Wilson, who had been killed by the Indians just one month before. Wilson had met the fate of a brave soldier and had been laid to rest in the early spring and the grass was growing green over his grave when his old friend and comrade wooed and won his widow.

Fayette Will Pay For The Pikes.

THE Fayette county Fiscal Court yesterday decided to pay the agreed price for the Paris and Lexington and the Richmond and Lexington turnpikes lying within Fayette county, and to continue them free. The turnpike companies had some minor details failed to keep their part of the contract made when the roads were purchased, and last week the court had about decided to allow the companies to take back their pikes.

A Good Christmas Dinner.

MENU.

Baltimore Raw Oysters.

Consonne.

Olivier. Lettuce. Radishes.

Baked Fish.

Croquettes of Sweetbreads with Peas.

Stringless Beans. Mashed Potatoes.

California Asparagus on Toast.

Celery. Cold Slaw.

Vanilla Ice Cream. Assorted Cake.

Apples. Bananas. Oranges.

Mixed Nuts.

Cheese. Bent's Water Crackers.

Coffee.

Palo Alto Wines.

Everything necessary for this menu can be found at F. B. McDermott's new grocery.

Cincinnati women have adopted the fad of wearing brooches on the back of their heads.

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GOSSIPY PARAGRAPHS.

Theatrical And Otherwise—Remarks In The Foyer.

A dramatization of "Qno Vadis" is soon to be heard at an eastern theatre.

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Nat Goodwin begins an engagement in "Nathan Hale" next week in New York.

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Julia Arthur was unable to play "A Lady of Quality" last week on account of having the grippe.

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Oliver Scott's Minstrels gave a very ordinary performance at the Opera House Tuesday night. The house was too heavy.

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General Shafter Hobsonized a music singer at long range last week in New York. The brass button is now pushing the mistletoe into a back seat.

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Mrs. Isabel Allardice Mallon, known in literary circles as "Bab" and "Ruth Ashmore," died of pneumonia Tuesday in New York. She had just finished writing a book called "The Business Girl," which is just out.

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The Wills Comedy Company, which played "In Atlantic City" at the Opera House Wednesday night, is described by many critics as being "the worst that ever happened." The company was advertised—not in THE NEWS—as being "one of the best on the road." Some day the people of Paris will get tired of being bounced by slide shows.

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Florence Sidney, a variety actress, who was wanted in Chicago for complicity in the robbery of \$600 in cash, \$600 in negotiable paper and a lot of other valuable property from Wm. Vary, a druggist at 32 Wells street, was taken to the Windy City from Louisville the other day by detectives Sederberg and Clancy and is locked up at the East Chicago avenue station.

INDIA stools at J. T. Hinton's.

Educational Association at Louisville.

The annual session of the Kentucky Educational Association convened at Library Hall in Louisville, Tuesday morning. Prominent educators from almost every section of the state, and a large number of the principals and teachers of the Louisville schools were present. Prof. Weaver, of the Paris High school, and Miss Edgar, school superintendent, are in attendance, and each took an active part in Wednesday's program, as follows:

"The Ends of Education"—Miss Sallie R. Brown, superintendent Hopkins county school, Hopkinsville. Discussion opened by Miss Kate Edgar, superintendent Bourbon county schools; Paris.

"The Money Value of a Teacher"—C. H. Gardner, superintendent public schools, Uniontown. Discussion opened by E. W. Weaver, superintendent public schools, Paris.

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were unable to do her any good, & finally pronounced it Cancer of a malignant type. We were greatly alarmed and gave her every remedy recommended, but they did not seem to reach the disease, and it continued to spread and grow. Upon the advice of a friend she began to take S. S. S., and after a few bottles had been used a decided improvement was noticed, and continuing the remedy she was cured completely and the permanence of the cure has

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every time.The supper at the Methodist church
Monday night, netted \$65.A TOTAL eclipse of the moon occurred
Wednesday night between ten and eleven
o'clock.THERE will be a barrel race at the
rink to-morrow night for boys. The
masquerade occurs next Thursday night.REV. G. W. YOUNG will fill the pul-
pit at the Methodist Church Sunday
morning. No preaching at night on ac-
count of the meeting at the Court-house.J. T. HINTON has rented one side of
his handsome double residence, on Pleasant
street, to Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Ussery.
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hall will board with them.TAKE your hides to N. Kriener. He
will pay you 7½ cents for green hides;
\$1.50 to \$2.50 for horse hides, according
to size, and sheep skins in proportion.
(29no-1mo)At the Court-house, Sunday night,
the churches of this city will unite to
have a temperance mass meeting. Rev.
G. W. Yotng, of Richmond, will be
the chief speaker. The meeting begins
at seven o'clock.SMITH & SUTTON will give a shooting
tournament to-day at the Tucker farm
near this city. They have 350 live pigeons,
and 1,000 clay pigeons besides
chickens and turkey, on hand to furnish
sport for the shooters.REV. J. W. HAGAN, of Lexington,
will succeed Rev. Briney as pastor of
the Mt. Carmel church near this city,
Rev. Briney having resigned to take
charge of a church in Paris, Mo.THE Georgetown Bowling team, com-
posed of John Carson, Sidney Offutt, Will
Hickey, June Hunter and Buford Hall,
defeated a Paris team composed of R. H.
Hall, W. H. Cox, W. N. Rion, J. S.
Wilson, and R. L. Parks in a series of
three games Friday night at Geor-
getown. The Georgetown team will come
to Paris to play in January.LANGDON's reception flakes, cakes and
crackers. F. B. McDERMOTT.

Magistrate Neely Resigns.

R. J. NEELY has tendered to Judge
W. M. Purnell his resignation as a mem-
ber of the Bourbon Fiscal Court. Mr.
Neely was elected to represent the Paris
precinct and was one of the best mem-
bers of that body. His resignation,
which is generally regretted, takes effect
at midnight to-morrow night.

Child Smothered To Death.

LOGAN JOHNSON, the three-year-old
son of Eliza and Jewell Johnson, color-
ed, was found dead in bed yesterday
morning at Johnson's home on Eighth
street. The discoloration of the child's
face caused an investigation to be made
by the authorities. At an inquest held
by Coroner H. H. Roberts the verdict
was that the child came to his death by
being accidentally asphyxiated by his
mother while both were asleep.MAN wants here below—the things
you can buy him—at J. W. Davis & Co.'s.

Program of Week of Prayer.

THE churches of Paris will unite in
observing the week:Monday night—Methodist church
Subject, "Prayerful Confession." Leader
—Elder J. S. or Z. T. Sweeney.Tuesday night—Baptist church. Sub-
ject, "The Church Universal." Leader
—Rev. E. H. Rutherford, D. D.Wednesday night—Second Presbyter-
ian church. Subject, "Nations and
their Rulers." Leader—Rev. E. G. B.
Mann.Thursday night—First Presbyterian
church. Subject, "Missions." Leader
—Rev. F. W. Eberhardt.Friday night—Christian church, sub-
ject: "Families and Schools." Leader
—Rev. F. J. Cheek.All these services will begin promptly
at 7:30 o'clock.Buy your buggy robes and blankets
from N. Kriener. He won't sell them
at cost, but he will sell them cheaper
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pair your linen and put neck bands on
free. HAGGARD & REED.HEINZ's mincemeat, pickles and pre-
serves. F. B. McDERMOTT.

The Bachelors' German.

The Jolly Bachelors added a pretty function to the week's gayeties in their german Wednesday night at Odd Fellows' Hall. The music was furnished by Saxton's band, and the german was capably led by Mr. Ford Brent. The participants were Misses Kate Alexander, Anna Johnson (Mt. Sterling), Elizabeth Woodford, Elizabeth Van Meter (Danville), Emma Miller, Bertha Parsons (Washington, D. C.), Louise Parish, Nannine Clay, Annie Louise Clay, Sue Clay, Margaret Woodford (Mt. Sterling), Elizabeth Spears, Bessie Woodford, Amelia Clay, Mabel Russell, Mrs. G. Alexander; Messrs. Woodford Clay, Ford Brent, Jake Gay (Winchester), Sam Clay, C. Alexander, Jr., Duncan Bell, John Brennan, John Woodford, John Chenault (Richmond), Lan Butler, Brutus Clay, Buckner Clay, Sam Woodford, G. W. Clay, B. A. Frank, Quincy Ward and Dr. M. H. Daily. Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Davis distributed the favors which were toy soldiers, trays, bisque figures, flags, etc.

A Christmas Ball.

The opening function of the holiday week gayeties was a beautiful dance given Monday night at Odd Fellows' Hall by the Sinfonia Club. The music furnished by Saxton's orchestra inspired the guests to continue the dance until a late hour. Among the participants were Misses Sue Davis, Washington, D. C.; Phoebe Beckner, Winchester; Margaret Lyne, Cythiana; Addie Garner, Winchester; Lucretia Barnes, Nicholaville; Laura Estill, Lexington; Marie Louise Swain, Cincinnati; Hattie Maddox, Louisville; Misses Emma Miller, Louise Parrish, Marie Parrish, Nellie Mann, Kate Russell, Kate Alexander, Lucy Keller, Clara Wilmoth, Helen Connell, Milda McMillan, Eddie Spears, Elizabeth Woodford, Nannie Swearengen, Messrs. Thos. Collier, Bob Lyne, Cythiana; Chas. Jones, Mr. Pilkington, Mr. Hamilton, Lexington; Sidney Offutt, Bert Moore, Mr. Carr, Georgetown; Roger Gatewood, Mt. Sterling; Mr. Lawrence, Salt Lake City; Dr. J. M. Purnell, Dr. M. H. Daily, John K. Spears, L. P. Spears, Chas. McMillan, Duncan Taylor, Will Clark, Oakford Hinton, W. M. Hinton, Jr., Henry Lilliston, Robert Hinton, Bob Frank, Ed. Tucker, Ed. Hutchcraft, Julian Howe, C. F. Clay, Jr., Will Wornall, Thos. Buckner, George Bedford.

January Revenue Assignments.

Among the January revenue assignments are: Store-keepers—J. M. Russell, Thompson Ware, Peacock Distilling Co.; W. A. Johnson, C. T. Throckmorton, G. G. White Co.; J. M. Jameson, G. W. Stivers, W. B. Allen, G. H. Kin, near N. A. Moore, Paris Distilling Co.; E. E. Price, Bourbon Distilling Co.; Gaugers—H. A. Daniels, Buckner Elroy, Paris Distilling Co.; J. M. Burbridge, G. G. White Co.; Peacock Distilling Co.

OBITUARY.

Respectfully Dedicated To The Memory
Of The Dead.

Mrs. Isabel A. Mallon, long a contribu-
tor to many metropolitan journals over
the name of "Bab," died Tuesday at her
home in New York.

Senator Justin S. Morrill, of Vermont, died at 1:25 o'clock Wednesday morning. He was the senior member of the Senate both in age and in length of service, having sat continuously in that body for more than thirty-one years. He was 88 years of age last April. See second page for lengthy biographical note.

Mrs. Ella Brannon Fitzpatrick, aged about thirty-eight, died Wednesday morning at the home of her husband, John Fitzpatrick, on Seventh street, after being an invalid for many months. She is survived by her husband and three children—Margaret, aged five, John, aged three, and Ed, aged two. The funeral will be held this afternoon at the Catholic Church by Rev. Father Burke. The pall-bearers will be W. S. O'Brien, Hinch Toolin, Patrick Toolin, Edgar Hill, Edward O'Connell and Phil Deignan.

STOCK AND TURF NEWS

Sales and Transfers Of Stock, Crop, Etc., Turf Notes.

County Judge Frank Bullock and Col. Willa Viley have leased a large farm near Lexington and will engage in the breeding of goats. Later a cheese factory is to be established.

The American Tobacco Company up to the present time has purchased about 260,000 pounds of tobacco at Flemingsburg, and has received about 96,000. The following purchases were made last week: J. N. Lee, 10,300 pounds at 7½ and 3½c.; Granby Bros., 8,500 at 7½ and 3½c.; G. W. Crain, 4,000 at 8 and 2½c.; C. L. Robertson, 6,500 at 8 and 3c.; Obed Collins, 10,600 at 8½ and 3c.; T. J. Daugherty and W. H. Bentley, 6,400 at 8 and 3c.; W. E. Darnall, 3,200 at 8c. all round; Throckmorton & Darnall, 4,000 at 8c. all round; Thos. J. Heath, 2,505 at 7½ straight.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

COMERS AND GOERS OBSERVED BY
THE NEWS MAN.NOTES Hastily Jotted On The Streets, At
The Depots, In The Hotel Lobbies And
Elsewhere.

—Miss Helen Daugherty is ill of grippe.

—Mr. G. S. Varden was in Cincinnati
Wednesday.

—Rev. Dr. Geo. S. Varden is visiting
in Lexington.

—Elmer J. S. Sweeney leaves to-day
for a trip South.

—Capt. D. L. Cook is sick at his home
on Duncan avenue.

—Mr. John Barnes of Mt. Sterling is
visiting friends in the city.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Fisher are visit-
ing relatives in Georgetown.

—Landlord Dunlap Howe is recover-
ing from an attack of the gripe.

—Mr. Harold Johnson, of Mt. Sterling,
is visiting friends in the city.

—Mr. Swift Champ, of THE NEWS, is
confined to his room by the gripe.

—Miss Nannie Wilson left yesterday
for a visit to relatives in Cincinnati.

—Miss Mary Purnell entertained the
Violet Whist Club yesterday afternoon.

—Mr. Carroll Marshall left yesterday
for a short visit to relatives in West
Virginia.

—Mrs. J. R. Dudley, of Flemings-
burg, will spend New Year's with Miss
Iva Perry.

—Mrs. W. L. Yerkes entertained a
few friends at a card party yesterday
afternoon.

—Miss Alice Spears is ill with gripe.

—Miss Georgia Bostain is home from
Cincinnati.

—Messrs. Ed Tucker and Rob Hinton
were in Carlisle Wednesday night visit-
ing friends.

—Dr. Julius Purnell will leave Mon-
day to visit Dr. Thomas Dunlap, at
Louisville.

—Rev. Father Donnelly of Gorge-
town, Salt Lake City; Dr. J. M. Pur-
nell, Dr. M. H. Daily, John K. Spears,
L. P. Spears, Chas. McMillan, Duncan
Taylor, Will Clark, Oakford Hinton,
W. M. Hinton, Jr., Henry Lilliston,
Robert Hinton, Bob Frank, Ed. Tucker,
Ed. Hutchcraft, Julian Howe, C. F.
Clay, Jr., Will Wornall, Thos. Buckner,
George Bedford.

—Mr. Louie Wolford, of Cynthiana,
was the guest of Mr. J. W. Bacon
Wednesday night.

—Miss Frances Claybrook entertained
a number of friends last evening at her
home near Hutchison.

—Misses Sadie Young and Lucy Kerr,
of North Middletown, are guests of
Miss Elizabeth Ashurst.

—A number of young people enjoyed
a party at Mrs. Maria Bedford's, on the
Winchester pike, last night.

—Mr. Walter Champ arrived home
Wednesday night from a trip to Wash-
ington, Baltimore and New York.

—Messrs. Junius Clay, Warren Bacon
and Dan Peed left yesterday for a hunt
in Nicholas and Robertson counties.

—Mr. Bert Swearengen, of Kansas
City, who has been visiting friends in
the city, left yesterday for his home.

—Dr. F. M. Faries and family arrived
home last night from Middletown, Ohio,
where they have been visiting relatives.

—Mr. W. T. Brooks is confined to his
home with lagrippe. His mother, Mrs.
E. R. Brooks, is also sick with lagrippe.

—Mr. Thos. Richardson, a former Par-
isian, who is now living in New York,
arrived yesterday for a visit to his old
home.

—Mrs. Bettie Long and Mrs. E. C.
Long and daughter are expected to ar-
rive here from California early in
January.

—Llewellyn Spears will leave Monday
to resume his studies at the Medical
School of the Kentucky University, at
Louisville.

—Miss Emma Weeks, of Lexington,
and Miss Margaret Holtzclaw, of
Georgetown, are the attractive guests of
Mrs. Nellie Weeks.

—Miss Phoebe Beckner, who has been
spending the holidays with Miss Armil-
la McMillan, returned yesterday to her
home in Winchster, accompanied by
Miss McMillan.

—Misses Kate and Louise Russell and
Clara Wilmoth have returned home from
Mt. Sterling where they were members of
a house party which was entertained at
the home of Mr. John Barnes.

—Dr. John Freeman, who was a sur-
geon of the First Kentucky which re-
cently returned from Porto Rico, arrived
yesterday from Louisville for a visit to
his sister, Mrs. W. O. Hinton.

—Miss Nannie Clay, who has been at-
tending boarding school in New York, has
arrived home to spend the holiday. She
was joined en route by her friend, Miss
Bertha Parsons, of Washington, who is
now a guest at "The Heights."

—Misses Kate Alexander, Kate Rus-
sell, Clara Wilmoth, Lonise Russell,
Messrs. Chas. Wilmoth, James Chambers,
Chas. McMillan, C. F. Clay, Oak-
ford and W. M. Hinton, Jr., attended
the Sterling Dancing Club's ball in Mt.
Sterling Tuesday night.

—L. & N. Holiday Rates.

From December 22d to 26th and from
Dec. 30th to January 2d the L. & N. will
sell round trip tickets at one and one
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NUPTIAL KNOTS.

Engagements, Announcements And So-
cializations Of The Marriage Vows.

County Clerk Ed. Paton yesterday is-
sued a marriage license to Peter E.
Owens and Miss Lizzie Brown, of Stony
Point neighborhood.

William Day and Miss Minnie Will-
iams, the former aged eighty-two and
the latter seventeen, were married in
Prestonburg. He was a wealthy bache-
lor farmer and had known Miss Will-
iams from babyhood.

Lieutenant Thos. L. Smith, of the
Seventeenth regiment United States
army, and Miss Lyne Starling Pepper,
youngest daughter of the late Col. R. P.
Pepper, the noted turfinman, were mar-
ried Tuesday afternoon at the home of
the bride's mother, "The Cliffs," near
Frankfort. The wedding was a quiet
affair only the immediate relatives be-
ing present. The couple will reside at
Columbus, Ohio, where Lieutenant
Smith's regiment is stationed.

GARTH-CARRICK NUPTIALS.

Miss Mary Carrick, one of the love-
liest belles of Scott county, became the
wife of Mr. Claude Garth, a wealthy
bachelor of that county, in the presence
of a large assembly of friends at the
Newtown Christian Church Wednesday
evening at half past six o'clock. The
ceremony was performed by Rev. C. A.
Thomas, and the wedding march was
played by Miss Nellie Allen, of Maine,
who was a

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SNOW HABIT OF FAR NORTH.

Eating It Becomes a Mania and Holds
Its Victims as Firmly as Does
Opium Eating.

Every great discovery in the world's history has brought with it an accompanying affliction, and it has remained for the Klondike to develop a peculiar mania that threatens to outrival opium eating.

Among the residents of the far north it is known as the "snow habit," and it is said to be incurable. Henry Barnum, of Great Bend township, has returned from the Klondike, and tells the strange story.

"There are many strange things in the Klondike," said Mr. Barnum, "but perhaps the strangest, and that about which nothing has been written so far, is the dissipation caused by eating snow."

"In the north, when the thermometer reaches 30 to 40 degrees below zero, a mouthful of snow is like molten metal. It brings an inflammation to the palate and tongue, and it is impossible to take enough to quench the thirst. There are men in that country, once hearty, robust miners, now weak creatures, whose fall can be traced directly to the time they began munching snow."

The matter has been little investigated, but the scientists who have examined the subject say that the waters of the north are rich with mineral deposits which are being constantly washed down from the mountains. A certain per cent. of this mineral is taken into the air when vapor rises, and the snow becomes impregnated with it. Thus it can be seen that a person eating large quantities of the snow takes into his system a corresponding amount of minerals."

While coming down the Copper river last spring Mr. Barnum came upon a party of miners where one was dying from the effects of eating snow. He had been a hard drinker, but had run short of whisky. His thirst became unendurable, and as water was scarce in midwinter, he had taken to eating snow.

Soon he claimed it relieved his appetite for liquor, but his companions noticed that his appetite for the snow increased, until he was consuming enormous quantities. Gradually his skin, which was a dark bronze, grew light, his rugged stature became bent, and even his harsh voice changed to the squeak of an old woman. He would lie on his pallet and moan pitifully for a mouthful of snow, and when opportunity offered would steal unobserved to the doorway and gulp down huge handfuls. One morning just previous to Mr. Barnum's departure the man was found dead.

There are some spots on the Copper river where the snow, when melted and strained through a cloth, shows perceptible signs of minerals, and often gold is found plentifully intermixed, but, of course, not in paying quantities.

Where this comes from is a mystery, but it may be brought from the far north by the heavy winter gales that sweep over this part of the country. It has been said that if the snow could be melted away it would leave deposits of millions of dollars in gold dust on the ground.—N. Y. Herald.

TOBOGGANING BY RAIL.

How It Is Done on the Track of the
Pikes Peak Road—Fast
Riding.

All the excitement of tobogganing, together with some entirely new features of that exhilarating sport, can be enjoyed on the track of the Manitou & Pike's Peak railway. This incline, having an average descent of 84.8 feet to the mile, offers an opportunity for coasting which is turned to good account by the officers and employees of the road. The toboggan, which is used only for pleasure purposes, consists of a plank 12 inches wide and three feet long, along the middle of the under side of which there is a cleat, which runs between the rack bars, and holds the toboggan thereon. On either side of the middle cleat there are brake shoes, bolted to the plank at one end and bearing against the outside surfaces of the rack bars or cog teeth. These brake shoes are operated by a lever grasped by the rider. Across the front end of the plank is bolted a rest for the rider's feet. The weight of the toboggan is 35 pounds. The speed attainable depends on the nerve and pleasure of the rider. A record of a fraction under a mile a minute has been made and the entire trip of nine miles has been done in 11 minutes, including four stoppages at sidings on the road, where the toboggan has to be carried about 40 feet. At very high speed the friction of the runners on the rack rail has sometimes raised the metal surfaces to such an intense heat that the runners have become welded to the rail, and the toboggan brought to a sudden stop. To obviate this the rider now carries a bar of soap, which he applies to the top of the rack teeth by reaching over in front of the toboggan. Even then the friction is so great that in fast traveling on a long grade the toboggan leaves a stream of sparks in its wake.—St. Louis Republic.

Very Old.

Miss Oldy—Humph! Before I was 22 I declined four offers of marriage.

Maudie—But you have lived long enough to regret it, isn't you, auntie?—Philadelphia North American.

An Accurate Description.

Rudyard Kipling has a new poem about a bear that walks like a man. "I wonder if he ever met my husband?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

THE TREE LOVER.

He loves a tree he loves the life that springs in star and cloud;
He loves the love that gilds the clouds and greens the April sod;
He loves the Wide Beneficence. His soul takes hold on God.

A tree is one of nature's words, a word of peace to man;
A word that tells of central strength from where all things began;
A word to preach tranquility to all our restless clan.

A bare must be the shadeless ways, and bleak the path must be,
Or him who, having open eyes, has never learned to see,
And so has never learned to love the beauty of a tree.

Tis well for man to mix with men, to drive his stubborn quest
In harbored cities where the ships come from the east and west,
To fare forth where the tumult roars, and scorn the name of rest.

Tis well the current of his life should toward the deeps be whirled,
And feel the clash of alien waves along its channel swirled,
And the conflux of the eddies of the mighty-flowing world.

But he is wise who, mid what noise his winding way may be,
Still keeps a heart that holds a nook of calm serenity,
And an inviolate virgin soul that still can love.

Who loves a tree he loves the life that springs in star and cloud;
He loves the love that gilds the clouds and greens the April sod;
He loves the Wide Beneficence. His soul takes hold on God.

Sam Walter Foss, in N. Y. Independent.



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SYNOPSIS.

Chapter I—D'Auriac, commanding outpost where scene is laid, tells the story. De Gomeron has been appointed by Gen. de Rone to examine into a charge made against him. Nicholas, a sergeant, brings in two prisoners, a man and a woman, who are from the king's camp at Le Père. D'Auriac, angered by insulting manner of de Gomeron toward the woman, strikes him. A duel follows, and during the commotion the prisoners escape. De Rone happens on the disorderly scene, and d'Auriac, upon giving his parole not to pursue the escape, hears this remarkable sentence: "Tomorrow you will be hanged on the field. Win or lose, if I catch you at the close of the day, I will hang you as high as Haman."

Chapter II—D'Auriac next morning takes his place as usual on de Rone's staff. In the course of his ride over the field he saves the life of Nicholas, the sergeant, who, a victim of de Gomeron's malice, is found in imminent danger of almost instant death.

Chapter III—After the battle in which King Henry utterly routs de Rone's forces, d'Auriac, lying severely wounded, sees the forms of a man and woman appear under cover of darkness among the dead and wounded. They find a golden collar-stab de Loyva's corpse and Babette stabs Mauginot (her partner) to gain possession of the prize. After this hideous scene Henry with a relinquo, among whom is the fair prisoner who had escaped from the hand of de Gomeron, rides over the field.

Chapter IV—D'Auriac in the hospital of Ste. Genevieve discovers his unknown friend is the heiress of Bidache. She visits him daily, and when he is well enough is taken to her Normandy chateau. Here he learns from Maître Palin, the madame's chaplain, that the king has sent to force upon the woman a very distasteful marriage with M. d'Ayen. With Jacques, his steward, d'Auriac leaves for the avowed purpose of preventing their marriage.

Chapter V—D'Auriac's horse casts a shoe. This causes a delay at village of Ezy, where he comes upon Nicholas, his old sergeant, who says de Gomeron is in the neighborhood with the king's commission, and that he (Nicholas) has evidence of treason brewing among de Gomeron and certain associates against the king.

Chapter VI—Led by Nicholas, d'Auriac goes by night to where de Gomeron is stationed. Standing beside a broken pane they hear something of the outline of a plot against the king. Bounding with revenge, Nicholas flies through the window at de Gomeron and cuts off his mace.

Chapter VII—The two men fly for their lives, and think themselves almost beyond pursuit when they come suddenly face to face with Biron, one of the traitors to the king, whom d'Auriac cuts down, and with de Gomeron, who makes short work of Nicholas, d'Auriac escapes.

Chapter VIII—He comes to Rouvres where Jacques, by previous arrangement, had prepared to have him received; from there he goes direct to Paris.

Chapter IX—D'Auriac takes up lodgings in Paris, and lays what he knows of the treacherous plot against the king before Sully, master general of the ordnance, who advises him to keep himself as much confined as possible.

Chapter X—Called on de Bélin, a friend living in Paris, the chevalier secures from him a servant, named Ravallac (whom de Bélin had won from d'Ayen at dice) to temporarily take the place of Jacques. He learns marriage of d'Ayen and Madame de Bidache is to take place in a fortnight. De Bélin is to be d'Ayen's sponsor.

CHAPTER XI.

A SWIM IN THE SEINE.

Sweating he would be back again in a week, Jacques set out for Ezy within:

an hour of our return to the Rue des Deux Mondes, and his going had removed one weight from my mind. I knew full well that, unless something beyond his control happened, my business would be faithfully discharged, though I felt I was losing a tower of strength when I needed support most, as I watched him riding along the Malmaison, mounted on the sorrel and leading the gray.

He went out of sight at last, and now that the momentary bustle caused by his departure had ceased, I had leisure to think of what I had heard from De Bélin, and those who have read the preceding pages and have formed their judgment as to what was my character at that time, can well imagine that I was mentally on the rack.

The trouble with d'Ayen was bad enough; but united to that was Bélin's statement that she—she was prepared, no matter what the circumstances were, to give her hand to de Gomeron! Had I been in her place death would have been preferable to me rather than this alternative, and then I thought of the token she had sent back to me—feet that I was being trifled with, and gave full rein to my jealous and bitter temper.

"One alternative is as bad as the other."

"There is no satisfying some people."

"Why, man, don't you see it would be the best thing in the world for you if it was settled in favor of our friend from the Camargue?"

"That lowborn scoundrel!"

"Mon ami, we don't know anything about that. Give the devil his due; he is better man than d'Ayen. I know there is ill blood between you, and wonder that some has not been spilt before now."

CHAPTER XII.

MAITRE PALIN TO WAIT ON MONSIEUR LE CHEVALIER.

I ground my teeth in silent agony.

"Wait a moment," de Bélin continued,

"a chamberlain of the court knows most of its secrets, and I can tell you that it is not such plain sailing as you think for d'Ayen. The death of that unhappy Gabrielle has affected the king much. He is but now beginning to recover, and Biron, who was hurrying to his government of Burgundy, has been ordered to remain in close attendance on the king.

"Whether Biron knew of the king's intentions or not, I do not know; but he has strongly urged the suit of one of his gentlemen for the hand of madame—it is that croque-mort de Gomeron, with all his faults a stout soldier. It is said that the marshal has even pressed de Gomeron's suit with madame, and that, rather than marry d'Ayen, and clinging to any chance for escape, she has agreed to fall in with his views. This I heard from the vidame, and Chevalier de Lafin—good enough authority."

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"At last! I have been expecting you hourly for some time."

"I could not come, chevalier. I will explain in a moment."

"First, sit down. Take that chair there near the window. It commands a good view."

"There will be before this is ended." "Tenez! Let but the king agree to de Gomeron's suit—and he is hard pressed, I tell you, for Sully even is on Biron's side in this matter, and after that—"

"What?"

"Henry's mind will have turned another way. There are many who would like to play queen, and few like Mesdames de Saucheville and Bidache."

"But in any case, Belin, I lose the game."

"You have become very clever in your retreat, my friend. You win your game if de Gomeron is accepted and then—"

"And then, my wise adviser?"

"She need not marry the Camargue. You can run him through under the lines in the Tuilleries—wed madame, and grow cabbages at Aurillac ever after. Pouf! The matter is simple!"

Miserable as I was I fairly laughed out at Belin's plot. Nevertheless, the hopefulness of the man, his cheery tone and happy spirit had their effect upon me, and if it turned out that the king was wavering there was more than a straw of hope floating downstream to me. My courage grew also when I put together Sully's words with Belin's news that Biron was detained by the side of the king. It surely meant that this was done to prevent the marshal doing mischief elsewhere. If so, I was nevertheless on the horns of a dilemma, for by telling of the plot I would, if my story were believed, make matters hopeless, and advance d'Ayen's cause through my veins. My tongue was stilled and I could say nothing. At length he spoke again.

"Do I gather from your silence that you have failed?"

"No—not so—but little or nothing could be done, as the king has only just come, and then— I stopped.

"And then—what?"

"It seems that madame has changed her mind."

"I do not follow you. Do you know what you are saying?" His tone was coldly stern.

My temper began to rise at this. Yes, I think I do, or else why has madame come to Paris, and what is this story I hear about a M. de Gomeron? If that is true it ends the matter."

I got up as I spoke and began to pace the room in my excitement.

"Had I been twenty years younger, M. d'Auriac, I would have paraded you for what you have said; but my cloth and my age forbid it. My age, not because it has weakened my arm, but because it has taught me to think. My young friend, you are a fool."

"I know I have been," I said, bitterly, "but I shall be no longer."

"And in saying so confirm yourself in your folly. Are you so beside yourself that you condemn unheard?" Sit down, man, and hear what I have to say.

"I am not offended—I have right to be."

"Well, it will interest you to hear that her coming to Paris was forced. That practically we are prisoners."

"You mean to say that he—the king—has gone as far as that!"

"I mean what I say—madame cannot leave her hotel, except to go to the Louvre, without his permission."

"But this is infamous!"

"In an almost similar ease this was what the daughter of De Courvois said, and yet she died Duchesse de Beaufort. But are you satisfied now?"

"I am," I said, in a low tone, and then with an effort, "but there is still the other matter."

"You are exacting—are you sure you have a right to ask that?"

"I have no right, but if it is true it means that the affair is at an end."

"If it is true?"

"Then it is not?" My heart began to beat faster.

"I did not say so. Remember that the alternative is M. le Baron d'Ayen."

"There is another."

"And that is?"

"Death."

"We are Huguenots," he answered, boldly, "and believe in the word of God. We do not kill our souls."

"Great Heavens, man! Tell me if it is true or not? Do not draw this out. In so many words, is Mme. de la Bidache pledged to de Gomeron?"

"Most certainly not, but Biron and his nearest relative, Tremecille, have urged it on her as a means of escape. She has, however, given no answer."

"Then De Bélin was wrong?"

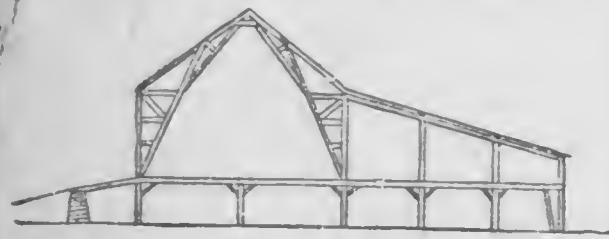
"If you mean that Compte de Bélin



CHEAP STRAW BARN.

It affords winter protection from cold and summer protection from flies and heat.

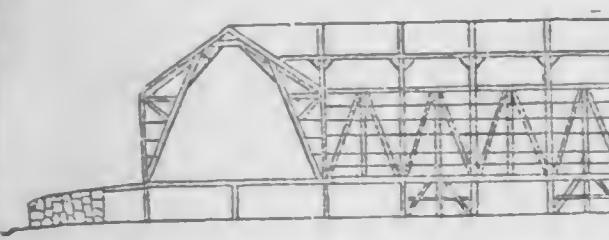
The illustration Fig. 1 gives the cheapest form of straw barn as attached to main barn, and having shed roof. This is the form generally adopted and provides both "covered barn-yard" and "straw loft." The roof of straw barn will necessarily have to be with very little pitch and is usually made of metal. Were we to build over again we would make the covered barn-yard and straw barn in the form of a gable roof making ridge same



ATTACHED STRAW BARN.

height as main barn. This would add very much to capacity of the straw loft and give better opportunity for ventilation, as well as to provide for more pitch to the roof.

Fig. 2 represents interior of main barn 40x100 with gable roofed wing, straw barn and covered barnyard 40x44. The covered barnyard in this case is but slightly larger than that in Fig. 1, yet the capacity of the straw loft



INTERIOR OF MAIN BARN.

has been raised from 30,000 cubic feet to 60,000 cubic feet, or doubled, and gives a much better opportunity for light and ventilation.

Those who have covered the barnyard and straw loft in any form, however, are very much pleased with them and find they get double the benefit from their straw and manure and at the same time find their cattle do much better both summer and winter. Winter protection from cold and summer protection from flies and heat.—John L. Shawer, in National Stockman.

PROFIT IN SHEEP.

Farmers Should Easily Make from 25 to 50 Per Cent. Annually from Mutton Breeds.

A shepherd can make from 25 per cent. to 50 per cent. on his investment in mutton sheep, according to his skill. A good breeding ewe can produce enough wool to pay for keeping her. A ewe can be kept in thrifty condition, being fed such coarse fodders as straw, clover hay and corn fodder, with one-half pound of grain daily when she requires it, at a cost of one cent per day, during the period of most expensive feeding. To pay for her keep she needs to produce no more than ten pounds of good wool, and that a mutton ewe can do. In addition to the wool the returns from a ewe will be at least one lamb—the average of the mutton breeds is nearer one and one-half. From the facts derived from our experimental work it is safe to say that, charging foods at market prices, mutton can be put on the market on foot for at least three cents per pound. Such mutton as can be furnished at that cost will sell for six cents, and the sheep should weigh 150 pounds. Here is a profit of \$4.50 from a sheep under the most moderate circumstances. I have known ewes of mutton breeding to produce each year a clear profit of ten to fifteen dollars.—Western Plowman.

HINTS FOR STOCKMEN.

Feed some chopped feed, with meal, to the hogs.

The work horse should have plenty of good grooming.

Keep the pigs warm. Sometimes in very cold weather better throw a blanket over them.

While pigs should be kept warm, never let them bunch together for any considerable time; it will produce disease.

One of the most fatal things for the pig is a cold, damp nest to sleep in. Remember the nest must never be damp; let it be either warm or cold.

Very much is said about feeding warm water to cows. The same principle applies to swine. Cooked or steamed food does the hog an immense amount of good.

As pigs increase in age it may be well to increase slightly the proportion of corn in order to make the ration a little more carbonaceous toward the finishing period.

With a good dry bed and a good dry feeding-room that is warm and light and kept clean, the pigs will do well to be confined to these two compartments until they are six months old, when they should weigh not less than 150 pounds each.—Western Plowman.

Vegetables for Poultry.

It is not necessary to cut up potatoes, carrots or beets for poultry. Put them in the feeding places, cut in half, and the fowls will pick them to pieces. It is well to remember that if dark yolks in eggs are desired, feed carrots, and the yolks will be colored a deep yellow. The color of the yoke does not indicate quality, but there are some who prefer the dark color. Vegetables may be given poultry, and also tubers, without undergoing unnecessary labor for that purpose.—American Gardening.

DISPOSING OF HONEY.

Why Bee Keepers Should Try to Build Up a Profitable Retail Trade of Their Own.

The great difficulty with the average farm bee keeper is in finding a market for his surplus. This matter of marketing the products of a farm is one that should be given more thought by producers. They have so long sold to the grain buyer or merchants according to what they take to market, allowing the buyer to make the price, that a good many of them feel that it is rather a small business to try to sell at retail. They look at it in a wrong light. Not one consumer in a hundred but would prefer to buy butter, eggs, honey, fruit and vegetables directly from the producer, if he could do so. In selling honey go directly to the best families and give them a glass full of your extracted honey or present them with a quarter of a pound of nice combed honey and tell them you have it for sale, naming the price. A few days later call again and ask for orders. Very often more than half the families will buy and gradually others will come in with their orders until you will have a secure market for all you can produce. It is a fact that a family that once gets into the habit of eating honey will in nine cases out of ten miss it so much when they get out of it that they will wish for more at once.

The great difficulty with buying honey at the average country town store is that merchants rarely keep it in stock. They may buy a few pounds if they can get it in the way of a trade, but they do not make a practice of keeping it and usually when they do they demand a greater profit on it than on any other line of goods they keep. Almost any honey producer can get more than the wholesale city price by selling at home and by doing this saves himself the cost of freight and commissions and runs no risk from allowing his goods to get into the hands of risky commission merchants.—Farmers' Voice.

QUARTERS FOR PIGS.

They Should Be in the Barn Basement and Never Where Other Stock Is Kept.

Whenever a barn has a barn basement, as all should have, in that should be fixed the winter quarters for the hogs. As there is a strong disagreeable smell from the pigpen, the basement should not be where other stock is kept, and of course not near the house. Not only horses and sheep, which are dainty in their feeding, but even the cow, which is less affected by foul odors, will refuse to eat food that has been where the stench from the hogpen could get at it. Yet we have known farmers to allow hogs to run in the same stable with cattle and horses, and then wonder why the latter so often get "off their feed," and lose flesh.

The hog alone will thrive under such circumstances, though even the hog in its effort to keep warm will crowd close around the larger animals to gather heat from their bodies. In this way the hog is apt to be stepped upon or kicked, so that the practice is not best even for him. The pigs' winter quarters should be made warm, and also light, having a wall on the south side with large double windows, it through which the winter sunlight may stream. If all the other sides are walled tight, and a bunch of chopped straw is put in one corner, the pigs will make their nest in that and sleep at night, but in sunny days they will huddle together where the sunlight can fall upon them. This matter of sunlight has much to do with the healthfulness of breeding sows and the successful rearing of their litters, especially those farrowed in early spring.—American Cultivator.

SMALL WORKBENCH.

Exceedingly Convenient for Doing Small Jobs of Repairing Around House or Barn.

A small workbench is very convenient for doing small jobs of repairing. Get a long, deep, but narrow, empty grocery box and mount it upon legs upon its side as shown. This provides not only a workbench, but a shelf below it for

keeping tools. The cover of the box can be hinged to the front for the purpose of keeping the tools more secure. There is not a farm in the country that can afford to be without at least a small bench on which to make repairs and to construct the small articles needed for carrying on farm operations.—N. Y. Tribune.

Angle of a Horse's Foot.

By the angle of a horse's foot is meant the angle formed by the wall and the ground surface of the foot at the center of the toe. In order to get the feet alike in shoeing trotters horsekeepers usually measure the length of the toe and the height of the heel from the coronet to the bottom of the wall. It is well to remember that different horses may have toes and heels of the same length and height, and yet the angle of the foot may be different in each case. A study of picture of the bones of the leg will show just what is meant by a straight line striking the center of the pastern and coffin joints. It means when a straight line will pass through the center of both position bones and the coffin bone.—Horse Review.

FOR JUDGE, JURY AND CLIENT.

The death of a stepfather is held, in Marshall vs. Macon Sash, Door & Lumber company (Ga.), 41 L. R. A. 211, to give no right of action to a stepchild.

A mandamus to compel the performance of an act by the governor of a state is held, in people, Broderick vs. Morton (N. Y.), 41 L. R. A. 231, to be beyond the power of the court.

Samples of merchandise carried by a traveling salesman are held, in Kansas City, P. & G. R. company vs. state (Ark.), 41 L. R. A. 333, not to be baggage within a statute regulating charges on excess baggage.

Practicing physicians are held, in state, Burroughs vs. Webster (Ind.), 41 L. R. A. 212, to be subject to the power of the legislature to require new examinations for a license to determine their fitness.

The reasonableness of an ordinance prohibiting a person to ride a bicycle with handle bars more than four inches above the top of the saddle is held, in Moore vs. District of Columbia (D. C.), 41 L. R. A. 208, to be invalid, as tending to create a monopoly.

An agreement by one who sells a business and its good will that he will not engage in the same business in the United States for 25 years is held, in Lufkin Rule company vs. Friesen (O.), 41 L. R. A. 185, to be invalid, as tending to create a monopoly.

Failure to equip freight cars with self-couplers is held, in Greene vs. Southern Railroad company (N. C.), 41 L. R. A. 399, to constitute negligence per se. It is also held that this is continuing negligence which will preclude the defense of the brakeman's contributory negligence.

ODD NOTES FOR THE WOMEN.

Over 12,000 Irish girls are employed in the lace trade.

Hall Caine believes that in literature, journalism, art and the drama, the gentler sex stands on a level with the sterner.

Ethel Mary Charles is the first woman in England to adopt architecture as a profession, and she has already taken many prizes.

When Miss Sarah Bernhardt is taking a holiday she spends most of her time in shooting, fishing, boating and cycling. She declares that the only way in which she can get rest is to tire herself out with bodily fatigue.

Miss Lutie A. Lytle, Topeka's colored woman lawyer, has been appointed a member of the faculty of the law department of Central Tennessee college, Nashville. She is said to be the only female lawyer instructor in the world. She will teach the law of domestic relations, evidence, real property, crimes and criminal procedure.

THE WINDOW GARDEN.

Stir the dirt in the flower pots occasionally with wire nail or hairpin.

Sopspods, hot and strong and freely applied, are the best defense for roses and other plants against their enemies in the window garden.

The Allegheny plant is a popular name used in Europe, says the Seemann Horticole, for one of the herbaceous oxalis (O. acetosella). The title has been bestowed upon this plant because it flowers at or about the Easter season.

If one has patience, sprinkle, sprinkle, sprinkle every day; twice a day is better, reaching the under side of the leaf. On wash day you dip them, heads down, in the suds, and then rinse in the last tub, you will be rewarded with big, fat, sweet roses.—Florence Holmes, in Success with Flowers.

DICTIONARY FOR GIRLS.

A disagreeable girl—Anie Mosity. A fighting girl—Hattie Magin.

A sweet girl—Carrie Mel.

A pleasant girl—Jennie Rossity.

A sick girl—Amelia Ration.

A clear case of girl—E. Lucy Date.

A geometrical girl—Polly Gon.

Not a Christian—Hettie Roxody.

A flower girl—Rodo Dendron.

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A musewar girl—Callie Sthenics.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI Dec. 29.

LIVESTOCK—Cattle common... \$0 @ 3 1/2
Select butchers... 4 10 @ 4 1/2
CALVES—Fair to good light... 5 5 @ 6 00
HOGS—Course and heavy... 3 1/2 @ 3 25
Mixed packers... 3 40 @ 3 45
Lard shippers... 3 80 @ 3 75
SHEEP—Choice... 2 50 @ 2 50
LAMBS... 1 40 @ 1 40
FLOUR—Winter family... 2 40 @ 2 40
GRAINS—Wheat—No. 2 red, new... 6 70
No. 3 green... 6 60
Corn—No. 2 mixed... 5 50
Oats... 5 50
Rye—No. 2... 5 50
DAY—Prime to choice... 6 75
PROVISIONS—Mess pork... 6 50
Lard... 6 50
BUTTER—Choice dairy... 12
Prime to choice creamery... 12
APPLES—Choice fancy... 3 50 @ 3 50
POTATOES—Per bushel... 1 25 @ 1 25

CHICAGO.

FLOUR—Winter patent... 3 75 @ 4 10

WHEAT—No. 2 red... 5 50 @ 5 50

CORN—No. 2... 5 50 @ 5 50

OATS—No. 2... 5 50 @ 5 50

PORK—Mess... 8 00 @ 8 50

LARD—Steam... 5 55 @ 5 55

BALTIMORE.

FLOUR—Winter patent... 3 75 @ 3 50

GRAIN—Family... 7 50 @ 7 50

Southern—Wheat... 7 50 @ 7 50

Corn—Mixed... 4 34 @ 4 34

Oats—No. 2 white... 3 25 @ 3 25

Rye—No. 2 Western... 3 25 @ 3 25

CATTLE—First quality... 4 00 @ 4 00

BOGS—Western... 3 75 @ 3 75

INDIANAPOLIS.

FLOUR—Winter patent... 3 75 @ 3 50

CORN—No. 2 mixed... 5 50 @ 5 50

Corn—Mixed... 4 34 @ 4 34

Oats—No. 2 white... 3 25 @ 3 25

Rye—No. 2 Western... 3 25 @ 3 25

LOUISVILLE.

FLOUR—Winter patent... 3 75 @ 3 50

GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 red... 5 50 @ 5 50

Corn—Mixed... 4 34 @ 4 34

Oats—Mixed... 3 25 @ 3 25

PORK—Mess... 8 00 @ 8 50

LARD—Steam... 5 55 @ 5 55

THE CHARM OF MUSIC.

Its Effects Were Very Agreeable to the Fellow Who Was Catching Fish.

A fisherman once took his cornet to the lake with him, in hopes that his harmonies would have a hypnotic influence in attracting the fish to his hook.

As soon as he had set his lines he raised the cornet to his lips, and soon made the winking ring with some of the latest popular airs, but without the expected result of gaining bites.

"Perhaps I don't play loud enough," he thought. "So he blew his cornet louder, but still no nibble."

"Confound it!" he exclaimed. "Where are all the suckers to-day?"

At that moment he glanced to the opposite extremity of the lake, where he saw another angler pulling in fish hand over hand, who, seeing he was observed by the cornetist, shouted: "Bravo! Encore!"

"I am glad that somebody appreciates my music," thought the man with the cornet.

Again! Again!" shouted the second fisherman.

"Is my music

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\$1.50 each.
Men's and Boys' Mackintoshes, double texture with cape, worth 25 cents.

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25 cents per pair.
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50 cents
For a good-sized Calico Coat, double texture with cape, worth 75 cents.

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For an extra-heavy Chinchilla Overcoat, well made, worth \$5.00.

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For the best quality of Beaver and Kersey Overcoats, all colors, every one worth \$10.00.

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Signed, this 13th day of June, 1898.

C. E. REED.

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